

**LICENSED APPLICATION INSTALLER**

**ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE**

A method and system of installing licensed software on an end user's computer  
5 comprising having a program storage device and a unique computer identifier  
distinguishing the end user computer from other computers, e.g., a BIOS serial number or  
a network adapter address. The network computer contains a plurality of different  
software for license to end users and a database listing computer identifiers licensed to  
run the software. The end user computer sends to the network computer a command to  
10 run a program identifying to the end user computer the software listed as licensed by the  
computer identifier of the end user computer. The network computer contacts the end  
user computer and determine its end user computer identifier, verifies listing of the end  
user computer identifier in the network computer database, and identifies to the end user  
computer all of the software on the network computer program storage device listed as  
15 licensed by the computer identifier of the end user computer using an executable program  
on the network computer. The end user computer sends to the network computer a  
selection of the software to be downloaded. The network computer downloads the  
selected software and installs it on the end user computer program storage device.